G. W. Students Showing Deep Interest in Views Of Playwright.

friends of George Washington Unierstty are taking marked interest in the special course of eight lectures now being given by Dr. Langdon E. Mitchell, Washington poe and playwright, on "Poetry as the Greatest of All Means of Individual Self-Development and of National Culture and Unity."

be given at 11:15 Thursday ing in Concordia Lutheran Church, Twentieth and G streets northwest, which is used regularly by the larger classes of the English department. The subject will be

The Old Testament."
Dr. Mitchell's third lecture will eal with the New Testament, the fourth and fifth with lyric poetry, and the last three with Shakespeare. The lectures will be given on Thurs-day mornings at 11:15, with the ex-

day mornings at 11:15, with the exception of the final one, which will
be on Tuesday morning, March 22.
Dr. Mitchell is the author of
"Besky Sharp," "The New York
Idea," which has been filmed and
recently was shown here, and numenous other works, including several volumes of verse. He is the
son of the late Dr. S. Weir Mitchell,
noted novelist.

CENTENNIAL PLANS FOR THIS MONTH.

centennial celebration of the fine centennial celebration of the founding of the university, to be held this month. The festivities will be opened with a dinner by the students of the arts and sciences department at the New Willard Hotel on the evening of Saturday, February 13. At 7 o'clock the same evening students of the law school will give a dinner at the Franklin ill give a dinner at the Franklin Square Hotel.

The mid-winter convocation ser-mon will be preached at 3:30 Sun-day afternoon, February 20, at the Church of the Covenant, Eighteenth nd N streets northwest. The junior classes have arrange

for a reception in the large ball-room of the Raleigh Hotel on Mon-day, February 21, from 4 to 7 o'clock. Delegates and other cen-tennial guests, officers and faculty members, alumni, students and former students have been invited to

The university's centennial dinner, in honor of recipients of honorary degrees and delegates from other educational institutions and their wives, will be held at 7:30 Monday, February 21, at Rauscher's. The mid-winter convocation ex-ercises will be held at 3 o'clock

Tuesday, February 22, George Wash-ngton's birthday, at Central High School. Charles A. Richmond, presi-School. Charles A. Richmond, president of Union College, will deliver the centennial oration, and a commemorative address will be given by William Bruce King, of the hoard of trustees of the university. Degrees will be conferred on the largest mid-year graduation class in the District, according to a survey made by the National Board of Fire Underwriters of fires which in the history of the institution. President William Miller Collier will preside.

junior clases will give a prom Truth," at Central High School at 8:15 Monday evening, February 28.

Lambda chapter of Phi Sigma Kappa entertained its alumni recently at an annual smoker at the

the fraternity. Ross M. Nichols was toastmaster. The initiates are George W. Askew. J. Nelson Anderson, A. Hamilton Bell, jr., James T. Berryman, Paul H. Baker, Fred M. Hradley, Carl C. Crowe, Joseph B. Colburne, Edwin H. Evans, Charles F. Poley, Douglas W. Macomber, at \$5,000 each large around to buse.

George Myers and C. E. Chambliss, . furnished a musical program at house" entertainment given recently by Alpha Nu Chapter of Kappa Alpha at the chapter house.

SIGMA NU WINS BOWLING SERIES.

Sigma Nu fraternity has won the championship of the bowling series just completed by the Interfraternity Association's Bowling League. The team won twenty-three games and lost only one. The standing teams follows: Kappa Sigma, Sigma Phi Epsilon. Kappa Alpha, Delta Tau Delta, Phi Sigma Kappa, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Theta Delta Chi, and Sigma Chi.

Ciyde Tolson, captain of the Sigma Nu team. made an average of 37 for 17 games. Averages of the other members of the team follow: Yates. Sigma Nu fraternity has won the

members of the team follow: Yates, 99; Cates, 98; Bopst, 97, and Kebler.

team score for one matchmat Nu was next with 521. L. E. Bopst, of Sigma Nu, made the highest score of the season, 133. C. H. Hixon, of Theta Delta Chl. was next,

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SMOKERS' STUBS **BIGGEST FACTOR** IN D. C. FIRE LOSS

The Underwriters Report 3,789 Blazes and \$1,619,-249 Damage in 5 Years.

Approximately 3,789 fires were re Rauscher's at 10 o'elock Thurs-y evening, February 24. The mors will present a play, "The total loss of \$1,519,249, of which total loss of \$1,619,249, of which \$414.244 is attributed to matches and careless smoking. It is estimated that 25 per cent should be added to the totals to cover the fires not reported to the underwriters.

A Bruce Bielaski, graduate of the university and president of Delta Taw Delta Fraternity, was honor of \$25,901; nine are designated as sugst and principal speaker at the annual initiation banquet of Gamma Eta chapter of the fraternity held recently at the New Ebbitt. Fourteen new members were admitted to the underwriters, may be considered

F. Foley, Douglas W. Macomber, at \$5,000 each, large enough to house Robert E. Newby, William Clarke 1,610 people, or it would have built Prentiss, jr., and Parrish Wood, jr. 161 miles of good macadam road at \$10,000 per mile.

Fires Classified.

Strictly preventable causes: De fective chimneys and flues, \$21.515; freworks, firecrackers, etc., \$304; gas, natural and artificial, \$11.249; hot ashes and coal, open fires, \$19.752; ignition of hot grease, oil, tar, wax. asphalt, etc., \$5.059; matchessmoking, \$414.244; open lights, \$17.704; petroleum and its products, \$15.296; rubbish and litter \$1.957.

causes, \$14.414; sparks from com-bustion, \$4.382; spontaneous combus-tion, \$52,733. Total, \$360,406.

Kappa Alpha made the highest Vaudeville Proceeds Aid Girls' Legion Post

A vaudeville performance staged y members of the Delhi Dramatic lub, of Washington, and a dance Club, of Washington, and a dance were held at the community house, 518 Tenth street northwest, Friday night for the benefit of the U. S. S. Jacob Jones Post, No. 2, of the American Legion, composed of girls who served as yeomanettes in the navy during the world war.

Arrangements for the entertainment were in charge of Mrs. Kate A. M. Clagett, commander of the post; Miss Lois Beach and Miss Estelle Purdy. Irwin Rice and George Durnee staged the entertainment. The cast of players included Misses Virginia Squires, Evelyn Fitzgerald, Bernadette McDonald, Lorraine Ryon, Christine Gladding, Lou-

raine Ryon, Christine Gladding, Lou-ise Marshall, Mary Stewart, Lois Gladding, Virginia Hooe, Benvaneda Farran, Marie Fitzgerald, Sue Glad-ding, Mildred Flynn, Agnes Walters, Cathering, Smith Catherine Smith, Catherine Ryan Mildred Fitzgerald, Bessie Jaffe, Re-gina Bishop, Mary Bishop and Re-gina Stewart: Messrs. Erwin Rice, Norman Bassell, George Durne, Sam Scher, Eugene Stewart, Paul Clem William McPhilemy.

Wandering Greeks Dine.

Members of the Wandering Greeks
Society, George Washington University organization, held a banquet
and business meeting at the Garden
Tea Room Friday night. The society
composed of members of national
Greek letter fraternities not represented by chapters at George Washington, is the first of the kind in
the country.

Cooper, in a drunken brawl due to
hard cider, near Martinsburg, seveval months ago, and found guilty
by a jury of involuntary manslaughier, James Butts, a mountaineer,
today was fined \$25 and costs in the
Circuit Court.

The average American gupil
spends \$.660 hours during his or her
education in public schools.

Tough and Fast ENGLISH SEEKING Fight Watched By High Society

Baltimore Women See Old Style Slugging in De Luxe Bout.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 5 .- Fifty society women, including a sprinkling of debutantes, saw the claret flow at a de luxe prize fight in the ballroom of the Belvedere Hotel here last night.

They had gone there for excitement, and got it in full measure when Dick Stoah, of Cleveland, lambasted Beany Sharp for eight old-fashioned rounds, at which point the police

Sharp was in pathetic shape, his nose bleeding profusely and his face otherwise battered. his face otherwise battered. There were no hysteries on the part of the ladies present, but one fair spectator, whose escort had paid a fancy price for a ring-side seat, covered her eyes when a smashing right connected with Sharp's nose and sent the claret spurting. From that time on she took only an occasional peep at the mill. The rest of the women, most of whom were of the dowager type, took the bout calmly—and some

took the bout calmiy—and some appeared even to be bored.

Apart from the presence of the women, the background of the bout was notable chiefly for the formal attire of the clubmen present and of the seconds, although "Joe" Tipman, who servence the formal attire that the present and the seconds although "Joe" Tipman, who servence the seconds although "Joe" Tipman, who servence the seconds although "Joe" Tipman, who servence the seconds are the second servence the second servence the second servence the servence the second ed as referee, upset the press agents' dope by appearing in a red sweater. The audience was small and exclusive.

Harding Vacation Over: Speeds North Pope, vice president; A. Black, sec-

PALM BEACH. Fla., Feb. 5.— President-elect Harding has com-pleted his vacation in Southern Florida and last night is returning with all possible speed to St. Augustine for a series of conferences that will occupy considerable of his time there.

tine by Monday night. The house-boat probably will make only one stop, at Daytona, where Senator Cummins will leave the party. The first of the President-elect's engagements will be on Tuesday morning, and are expected to continue until the last days of February, when he will leave St. Augustine to spend March 2 in Marion.

No announcement has been made of the list of conferees who will come to St. Augustine, but it is understood that the President-elect wire Historical Society, at a meeting held in the Public Library Friday night, to assist in supplying this information which is at present neglected by historians.

Miss Mary G. Lacy, of the Bureau of Markets, read a paper on "An Early Agricultural Periodical." An open discussion of the activities of the Society was led by O. C. Stine, of the Office of Farm Management. Lyman Carrie, secretary, presided.

derstood that the President elect will see a number of leaders there. is planned to arrange all con-ferences at St. Augustine in the morning, so that Mr. Harding will have the afternoons for golf and

Says It's Up to Congress To Educate D. C. Children

Responsibility for the proper education of Washington children rests in the last analysis with Congress, according to Superintendent of Schools Ballou, who Friday night be-fore the Parent-Teacher Association of Birney School, Anacostia, reiterated the urgent need for 183 more

classrooms here.
"The time will come," said Bal-lou. "when consideration of dollars will not stand in the way of a child's education. The people who control the appropriations for the schools control education—a minimum ap-propriation means a minimum edu-

Fined \$25 for Killing Man. MARTINSBURG, W. Va., Feb. 5.— Charged with slaying John Smith, a

The average American mupil spends \$,000 hours during his or her education is public schools.

TO MAKE ALCOHOL **AUTOMOTIVE FUEL**

Government Expert Tells Engineers of Foreign Experiments.

How to produce and use alcohol or automotive fuel is the problem that is interesting England today William S. James of the Bureau of Standards told the Washington secion of the Society of Automotive Engineers at the Cosmos Club Fri-day night. Utilization of the tropical vegetation of the British colonies is being experimented upon, and much is being done to find a denaturing agent other than wood alcohol, which forms a harmful gum in the

France has not yet started to de sign or produce new engines, but is manufacturing prewar types in the face of unfilled orders, said James n telling of this recent trip abroad. Germans are suppressing any inventions that they may be making for fear they will be confiscated by the interallied commission, he said, English motor fuel, which con-

sists largely of mixtures of gasoline and coal tar distillates, are much better than the gasoline used in this country, he said. The end points of the foreign fuels are 20 to \$0 de-grees centigrade lower than ours.

Light cars have been developed much more in England than here. James said. About half of the English automobiles weigh under 2,000 pounds, while only three or four American cars can be dlassed "Hight." The nominating committee recom mended the following present officers for the coming year: Dr. H. C. Dickinson, president; Col. F. H.

retary; C. H. Young, treasurer. SEES FARM HISTORY AS ECONOMIC AID

Declaring that a more thorough knowledge of the history of agri-culture, in foreign countries as well time there.

The houseboat Victoria, after taking on provisions and water, left Palm Beach at 4 o'clock yesterday and by steady running expects to make the 250 miles to St. Augustine by Monday night. The houseboat virible by Monday night. The housebast probably will make only one half in the Public Library Friday in the Public Library Friday.

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FRAME-UP VICTIM DAVIS CHARGES IN **ALIENATION SUIT**

Son of Democratic Candidate Alleges He Was Drugged Here.

John T. Davis, multimillionaire, prominent socially in Washington and West Virginia, alleges that he complained of having headache.

Met Woman January, 1918.

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"The defendant is the soft of Henry Gasway's Davis Porter Justice Frederick L. Sidon and a jury in the District of Columbia supreme Court."

"John T. Davis Davis Democratic cadily and they found Nan Stock on Nan Stock

"We will show that some of these diamonds and jewelry were used by Sulivan to get money on in pawnshops," asserted Lambert. In answer to the charges of con-

for Sullivan, called attention to evidence given by John J. Allen, house detective of the Hotel Bellevue, of this city, who alleged that Davis had claimed to have sufficient influence with the Department of Justice to prevent any Mann act charges being brought against him as a result of his friendship for Mrs. Sullivan.

The plaintiff relies upon testimony given by Detective Allen to prove that Davis was found by Sullivan and his attorney, Norman S. Bowles, at the Hotel Bellevue on February 23, 1919, with Mrs. Sullivan.

On this occasion, Attorney Lambert told the jury, Davis was asleep or in a torpor as the result of a drug administered by Mrs. Sullivan, when he complained of having a headache.

Met Woman January, 1918.

**Miss Nan Stock, engaged in hair dressing work at a local beauty aparior."

Other engagements were made, he said, and she visited him frequently.

"In the summer of 1915 Miss Nan Stock decided she wanted to sojourn at Attantic City and she applied to Davis to help her rent a cottage." Lambert continued. "He acceded to that, gave her money and Davis found out after these suits had been sinitiated that that was a sort of combination between the husband, about whom he know nothing at that time, and the wife. In this cottage Sullivan visited his wife."

After Sullivan had forced an interview with Davis, Attorney Lambert said, no more checks or jewelly were given to Mrs. Sullivan.

"On Washington's Birthday, 1915."

The action was denounced in the chemical particles of the jury by Wilter of J. Lambert, attorney for Davis, as "a connivance and a conspiracy to get money."

Answers Charges.

"We will show that some of these

Davis.
"The presentation of that check to her caused both Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan to cry like two children all night long. Sullivan was sick in mind and body and the check came as a final blow that breaks a man Referred to Attorney. Davis, Wampler said, referre

Sullivan to a man whom he intro-dreed as Chief Justice Robinson of West Virginia. The latter, Davis stated, was his lawyer.

Sullivan refused to have anything to do with any lawyer. Wampler said, and matters went along until February 23, 1915, when Sullivan effected an entrance to Davis' room.

T. Davis on April 16, 1919. On the following day the suit to recover \$500,000 was filed.

Mrs. Sullivan was spirited away, Lambert charged. and only with difficulty was located in Buffalo, N.

Y., where upon subpoens at Davis' intance, her deposition was taken. That deposition, he stated, would be introduced. read a good deal about you and I would like to become acquainted with you."

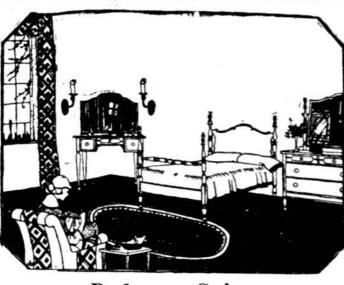
As a result, Lambert said, Davis later made an engagement to see the lady and she called at his apartment.

"He knew her" Lambert said "as interest deposition was taken. That deposition, he stated, would be introduced.

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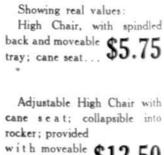
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